

AN ASTRONOMICAL DIARY;  
OR,  
**ALMANACK;**

For the Year of our Lord CHRIST

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Being the 3d Year after BISSEXTILE or LEAP YEAR.

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C O N T A I N I N G,

Eclipses; Affluës; Spring Tides; Judgment of the  
Weather; Deaths and Falls of the Church; Courts in  
*Massachusetts-Bay, New Hampshire, Connecticut, and  
Rhode-Island*; Sun and Moon's Rising and Setting;  
Moon's Place; Time of High Water; Public Roads,  
with the best Taverns; A Discourse on what is not done,  
and on what may be done; a Table of the variation of the  
Compass; New Receipt for the Rattle Snake, &c.

By Nathaniel Ames.

Bards rapt beyond the Moon on Fancy's Wings,  
And mighty Masters of the vocal Strings;  
Those who on labour'd spindles waste their Oil,  
Those who in crooked Calculations toil,  
Who treasure Earth, who climb the starry Road,  
And human Fates by Heav'nly Signs forebode,  
Pleasures, Philosophy, Lucrum's Bards,  
Diffid'ful soaring up to Heights untry'd;  
From Science up to Sense let them rise,  
And arrogate the swelling Style of Wise;  
Their Wisdom's Folly, impotent and blind,  
Which cures not one Diemper of the Mind,  
'Till weary of their Vanities, they've found  
Th' exalted Way to True's enlighten'd Ground,  
Quaff'd her cathartic, and all cleans'd within,  
By her strong Energy, from Pride and Sin.

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A DISCOURSE on what is not Done, and on what may be Done. from a late eminent Writer.

“LET the World go as it will, do your Duty indifferently, and always speak well of the Prior,” is an ancient maxim among the Monks; but it is capable of leaving the convent in mediocrity, negligence and contempt.

When Men are not excited by Emulation, they are Asses, who proceed on their way slowly, stop at the first obstacles, and quietly eat their Thistles in sight of the Difficulties that deter them, but at the Sound of the Voice that encourages them, or at the Prick of the Goad by which they are awaked they are Steeds who run swiftly and leave behind the Difficulties that had opposed them. Had it not been for the Information of the Abbe de St. Peter, the Severities of the arbitrary Subsidies in France, would perhaps never have been abolished, had it not been for the Penetration of LOCKE the Deficiency in the current Coin would never have been repaired at London. There are frequently Men, who without having purchased the Right of judging their Equals, love the public Welfare, as much as it is sometimes neglected by those who acquire as they purchase a Farm, the power of doing Good and Evil.

In the first Ages of the Roman Empire, a Citizen, whose ruling Passion was the Desire of rendering his Country flourishing, asked to speak to the first Consul; when he was told that the Magistrate was at Table with the Preter, the Edile, some Senators, their Mistresses, and their Buffoons; on which he put into the Hands of one of the insolent Slaves, who waited at Table, a Memorial, the Contents of which was as follows:

“SINCE Tyrants have, throughout the whole Earth, done all the Mischief they were able; O ye who value yourselves on being good, why do ye not do all the good in your Power? From whence does it proceed that the Poor encompass your Temples, stand at the Corners of the Streets and display a misery useless to the State and shameful to you, and this at a time when their Hands might be employ'd in public Works? How during the Peace are those lazy Legions employ'd who might repair the Highways and the Citadels? Those Marshes if they were drained would no longer infect the Provinces, they would become fertile Lands,—Those open Places irregular and worthless of a barbarous City might be changed into Magnificent Squares,—those blocks of Marble heaped up on the banks of the Tyber, might be hewn into Statues, and become the Recompence betox on merit, and Lessons of Virtue that



might be heard in distant Ages; your publick Market places ought to be both commodious and magnificent, and yet they are inconvenient and offensive; your Houses want Water, and your publick Fountains are built without Taste and propriety; your principle Temple is a barbarous piece of Architecture, the entrance to your publick Shews, resembles the Passage to an infamous House, the Halls in which the People assemble to hear what is worthy the Admiration of the Universe have neither Proportion nor Grandeur, nor Magnificence, nor Convenience, the Palace of your Capitol is ready to fall, yet it is inhabited: In vain does your Laziness make you ready to reply that it would require too much Money to remedy so many abuses; will this Money be given to the *Massageties* and *Cimbriens*? Will it not be gained by *Romans*, by your Architects, by your Sculptors, by your Painters, by your Artists? These Artists, when recompenced, will restore this Money to the State by the new Expences in which they will be enabled to engage. The fine Arts will be held in Honor they will be at once your Wealth, for the richest people are they who labor most. Listen then to a noble Emulation, that the *Greeks* who begin to esteem your Valor and your Conduct, may no longer reproach you for your Rusticity."

The Citizen's Memorial was read at Table, the Council took no notice of it but called for Wine, the Edile however, said it contained some good Observations, and this was all the Conversation turned on the Fartness of the Wine of *Alerna*, and on the Strength of the Wine of *Cecuba*, they bestowed Praises on a famous Cook; enquired into the Invention of a new Sauce for Sturgeon, drank Healths, told two three insipid Stories, and fell asleep. However, the Senator *Appius*, who had been secretly affected at hearing the Paper read, built some time after, the *Appian* way; *Flaminius* made the *Flaminian* way, another embellished the Capitol, another built an *Amphitheatre*, and another the public Markets. Thus the Writing of an obscure Citizen was a Seed which by little and little grew and produced Fruit in the Minds of the Great."

What Fruit is the good Seed sown likely to produce in the Minds of our Great, who can sapiently behold the *Philippians* not only outstrip us in the liberal Arts, but also in the Mechanic Arts, who instead of importing immense Quantities of British Manufactures, have their Ships enter their ports laden with Cash and Manufactures from England, Golden Fruits of the Non-Importation Agreement!

HERE will happen four ECLIPSES this Year, 1771.

I. The first of the Moon; April 28. Visible,

Beginning 8 h 2'

Middle 9 8

End 10 14

Digits Eclipsed 5

II The second will be of the Sun May 14, About a quarter past 10 Forenoon, yet by Reason of the Moon's Southern Latitude, invisible.

III The third of the Moon, October 23, near Noon invisible.

IV. The fourth of the Sun November 6. Visible;

Beginning 1h 55'

Middle 2 45

End 3 50

Digits Eclipsed 6.

VENUS will be Morning Star from January 11 to October 26: from thence Evening Star to The Year's End.

VULGAR NOTES for 1771.

Golden Number 5

Cycle of Sun 16

Epoch 14

Dominical Letter F

Mr. FRANKLIN's Epitaph on himself curious for conveying such solemn Ideas in the Style of his Occupation.

The Body of BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

Printer.

Like the Covering of an old Book.

Its contents torn out

And stript of its Lettering and Gilding,

Lies here, Food for Worms;

But the Work shall not be lost,

It will (as he believ'd) appear once more

In a new and more beautiful Edition

Corrected and amended

By the Author:

He was born January 6th, 1706, and

died ~~January 17th~~ 17.

IN Bengal the Ceremony of Marriage is according to the Direction of their spiritual Guides, perform'd in standing Water; in which the Priest and the Bridal Pair hold a Cow with her calf by the Tail, and pour Water upon them; then he ties the Cloaths of the Bride and Bridegroom together, and walking round the Cow and Calf, they are joined in the Bonds of holy Wedlock—But mark the Epilogue of the Comedy—The Parson has the Cow and Calf for his Fee!

# I. JANUARY hath 31 Days 177.

**I**N Ruffe's frozen clime some ages since

There dwelt, Historians say, a worthy Prince,  
Who to his people's good consider'd his care,  
And fix'd the basis of his empire there;  
Inlarg'd their trade the liberal arts improv'd  
Made nations happy, and himself belov'd;

To

Full Moon 1 Day 5 Morn.

First Quar. 13 Day 8 Night

Last Quart. 7 Day 8 Even.

Full Moon 30 Day 3 Aftern

N w Moon 15 Day 6 Aftern

M W. Kalender. Courts, Weather, &c. r. S. s. Sea, & place. D.

1	3	Inf. C. Boston & York Cts.	7	32	5	1	43	17	D rife
2	4	D Perigee cold	7	32	5	12	10	heart	8 44
3	5	High tides and violent storm	7	31	5	1	20	16	7 58
4	6	of — 1 of — 1 of — 1	7	31	5	2	18	belly	9 14
5	7	7's south 3 h 27 m @ 8 Vc	7	30	5	3	11	15	10 27
6	F	Epiphany. British	7	30	5	4	0	reins	11 37
7	:	Inf. C. Bristol. Catchpenny.	7	29	5	4	46	14	Morn
8	:	as well as Hybernian	7	29	5	5	32	28	0 48
9	4	and Tyburnian ones.	7	28	5	6	21	secrets	1 44
10	:	more falling weather @ 2 5	7	27	5	7	16	2	2 38
11	6	most likely snow	7	27	5	7	5	chighs	3 34
12	7	then clears off	7	26	5	8	50	18	4
13	F	1st past Epiphany very cold	7	25	5	9	40	sees	5 1
14	2	7's south 7 h 45 m but	7	25	5	10	30	16	6
15	3	agreeable to the season	7	24	5	11	17	28	D set
16	4	D Apogee more snow	7	23	5	12	8	legs	5 4
17	5	h 8 of rain	7	22	5	12	35	20	6 5
18	6	3 8 & Royalty is one thing	7	21	5	1	16	feet	7 50
19	7	and Slavery is another—	7	19	5	2	0	17	8 5
20	F	2d past Epiph.	7	18	5	2	44	29	9 49
21	2	Inf. C. E. Greenwich.	7	17	5	3	27	head	10 4
22	3	but synonymous with those who	7	16	5	4	0	16	11 4
23	4	know not Children from Ser-	7	15	5	4	47	neck	Morn
24	5	vants: such Ignorance	7	14	5	5	22	14	0 48
25	6	Conversion St. Paul. h 8 &	7	13	5	6	6	27	1 48
26	7	would disgrace even—	7	12	5	7	14	arms	2 49
27	F	Septuagesima. the noble Lyon	7	11	5	13	25	3 5	
28	2	7's south 6 h. 48 m and	7	9	5	9	10	breast	4 51
29	3	athaw Unicorn.	7	8	5	10	8	24	5 52
30	4	K Charles I beheaded b 11 Vc	7	7	5	11	6	heart	D rife
31	5	D Perigee turbulent weather	7	6	5	12	0	23	6 38



# II. FEBRUARY hath 28 Days. 1771.

To all the neighb'ring states a terror grown  
 The dear delight and glory of his own.  
 Not like those Kings who vainly seek renown  
 From country's ruin'd and from battles won ;  
 Those mighty Nimrods, who mean laws despise,  
 Call murder but a princely exercise,  
 And if one bloodless sun should steal away  
 Cry out with Titus, they have lost a day.

Far

Last Quart. 6 Day 10 Morn.

New Moon 14 Day 1 Aftern

First Quart. 22 Day 10 Morn.

MW. Kalender Courts, Weather, &c. r. S. F. Sea. D. l. r. D. s.

16	High tides	Snow	6	5	5	12	45	belly	7	57	
27	Pur V Mary.	7 <sup>th</sup> so. 6h. 30m.	7	4	5	1	33	22	9	10	
3	F	SEXA cold freezing	4	7	3	5	2	28	reins	10	15
42	The alternate	Chills and	7	2	5	3	19	20	11	18	
53	Thaws in 'this Month		7	1	5	4	16	secrets	Morn		
64	represent a long Court		7	0	5	5	8	18	0	28	
75	6 ship—as a Beehive		6	5	6	6	0	thighs	1	20	
86	does Matrimony, for its		6	5	8	6	40	15	2	10	
97	8 Vc often empty & poor		6	5	6	7	27	27	3	5	
10	F	QUINQUA sometimes rich in	6	5	6	8	16	knees	3	54	
112	8 Δ 8 Wax, but inspid and		6	5	4	9	8	21	4	30	
123	Inf C. Northamp. tasteless and		6	5	3	9	50	legs	5	13	
134	1st day in LENT. D Apogee		6	5	0	10	36	16	5	44	
145	Valentine 8 h 8 sometimes		6	4	8	11	22	28	D sets		
156	7 <sup>th</sup> south 5h. 35m. full of		6	4	7	12	12	feet	6	40	
167	Honey but most frequently		6	4	6	12	58	20	7	38	
17	F	1st Sun. in Lent full of Stings	6	4	5	1	33	ead	8	34	
182	Inf. C. So Kingston. rain		6	4	4	2	11	15	9	30	
193	Sup. C. Boston and Fairfield.		6	4	2	3	40	neck	10	28	
204	Some are pleased with a		6	4	0	3	28	13	11	24	
215	Rattle some with Jingle, &		6	3	9	4	10	26	Morn.		
226	some with Sentiment—		6	3	8	4	5	arms	0	22	
237	and a great many with dire		6	3	7	5	48	19	1	20	
24	F	St. Matthias. Prognosticks.	6	3	6	6	44	breast	2	18	
252	7 <sup>th</sup> set 2h. 23m. clear		6	3	5	7	40	18	3	13	
263	Sup. C. Haven, Inf C Pittsfield		6	3	4	8	18	heart	4	8	
274	proper weather News from		6	3	2	9	36	17	5	4	
285	far denotes a War D Perigee		6	3	0	10	37	belly	5	49	

# III. MARCH hath 31 Days. 1771.

Far different praises and a brighter Fame  
 The virtues of the young *Porcennia* claim,  
 For by that name the *Russian* King was known,  
 And sure a nobler ne'er adorn'd the thorne.  
 In peaceful time he suffer'd not his mind  
 To rest in sloth, tho' much to peace inclin'd ;

But

Full Moon 1 Day 1 Morn.  
 Last Quart. 8 Day 2 Morn.  
 New Moon 16 Day 6 Morn.

First Quart 23 Day 6 Aftern  
 Full Moon 30 Day 11 Foren

M. W. Kalender. Courts Weather, &c. r. & s. F Sea Vpl. r. Ds.

10	Englishes St David	6 29 6	11 38	16	D rise
27	Enjoy the good Weather	6 28 6	12 30	reins	7 50
3	3d in Lent. when you can	6 27 6	1 28	16	9 4
42	Sup. C. Newport, catch it,	6 26 6	2 13	28	10 10
53	S C Hartford I. C. Edgarton	6 24 6	3 0	secrets	11 14
64	7*s set midnight. for it is as	6 22 6	3 41	24	Morn.
75	Inf. C. Portsmouth. variable	6 20 6	4 30	thighs	0 12
86	Eolus sends as Mrs — —	6 19 6	5 23	20	1 7
97	North Boreas & Temper	6 17 6	6 16	knees	1 51
108	4th in Lent. this Month.	6 16 6	7 10	15	2 34
112	Aster, who strive in terrible	6 15 6	7 58	27	3 16
123	Inf. C. Charlestown, Taunt. @ 4 *	6 13 6	8 40	legs	3 58
134	Apogee Δ & ♀ Whirlwinds	6 11 6	9 16	21	4 30
145	Snow or Rain is	6 10 6	10 4	feet	5 0
156	7*s set 11h. 30m. come or	6 9 6	10 40	16	5 30
167	coming, NOW !	6 7 6	11 36	28	D sets
178	St. Patrick 8 h ♀	6 5 6	12 12	head	7 28
182	Sup. C. Provid. STAMP-ACT	6 4 6	12 55	22	8 34
193	Sup. C. Windham. (repealed	6 3 6	1 30	neck	9 38
204	Some are so polite as to drink	6 1 6	2 18	18	10 40
215	nothing but Maderia ☐ ⊙ &	6 0 6	3 7	arms	11 44
226	abroad—that cats hardly	5 59 7	3 55	13	Morn.
237	get Cyder at home. Are	5 57 7	4 47	27	0 32
248	PALM SUND. other Countries	5 56 7	5 46	breast	1 28
252	LADY DAY. as fond of our	5 55 7	6 45	24	2 13
263	Sup. C. Norwich. I. C. Ipsw	5 53 7	7 44	heart	3 9
274	{ Nantucket & Worcester	5 52 7	8 42	23	3 50
285	pleasant weather Luxuries &	5 50 7	9 41	belly	4 28
296	7*s set 10h. 38m. D Perigee	5 48 7	10 38	22	5 7
307	Δ ⊙ h considerable tide	5 46 7	11 22	reins	D rise
318	EASTER SUNDAY rainy.	5 44 7	12 10	22	8 10

# IV. APRIL hath 30 Days. 1771.

But active rising 'ere the prime of day,  
Thro' woods and lonely deserts lov'd to stray;  
With hounds and horns to wake the furious bear,  
Or rouse the lawby lion from his lair;  
To rid the forest of the savage brood,  
And whet his courage for his country's good

One

Last Quart. 3 Day 5 Afternoon | First Quart. 22 Day 2 Morn.  
New Moon 14 Day 12 Night | Full Moon 28 Day 9 Night.

MW. Kalender, Courts, Weather, &c. r. s. f. Sea 301. r. D.

12	S. C. S. Kingst. Wind 2	43	7	12	58	feet	9	9
23	C. Barnst. & N. Haven Rain	42	7	1	44	20	10	8
34	One may steal a Horse as well	40	7	2	40	high	11	4
45	7 <sup>th</sup> set 10h. 3pm. another	39	7	3	30	17	11	50
56	may not look over the Wall—	38	7	4	16	29	Morn.	
67	but is to get drunk with	37	7	5	9	quers	0	42
78	Full p. East. Teddy or	36	7	5	50	24	1	28
89	Sup. Q. Bristol & 2 Rivers	34	7	6	44	legs	2	6
93	C. Charlezt. Inf C. Plymouth	33	7	7	4	18	2	39
104	Apogee (York & Haris) ra	31	7	8	28	feet	3	22
115	is a damnable Sin, wh	30	7	9	10	14	3	50
126	to get drunk with a Pu	28	7	9	50	27	4	18
137	to Wine is hardly a ven	27	7	10	33	head	4	48
148	d. past East. misty one	26	7	11	17	21	sets	
159	let 9h. 28m. h 2	24	7	12	0	neck	7	40
163	Inf. C. Bay, & Falmouth, Fair	23	7	12	31	18	3	39
174	□ 4 The Vulgar trad	22	7	1	16	arms	9	38
185	6 & 8 your Faults those y	20	7	2	8	13	10	6
196	Δ & 2 have in comm on, what	19	7	2	50	27	11	4
207	themselves, but have no	17	7	3	40	breast	Morn.	
218	d. past East. Idea of your	16	7	4	40	23	0	24
222	Rain in abundance	15	7	5	39	heart	1	12
233	u C. Worcest. Inf C. Litchf.	13	7	6	38	22	1	50
244	Perigee Δ h & Excellenc	12	7	7	37	belly	2	30
255	St. MARK, to which they have	11	7	8	36	22	3	10
266	no Pretensions	10	7	9	30	reins	3	36
277	7 <sup>th</sup> set 8h. 3pm. drizzling	9	7	10	22	21	4	12
288	4th past East. Weather	7	7	11	12	secrets	rise	
292	S. C. East Greenwich 4 & *	6	7	11	51	19	7	57
303	Sup. C. Northampton □ ○ h	4	7	12	36	thighs	8	54



# V. MAY hath 31 Days. 1771.

One day as he pursu'd the dang'rous sport,  
 Attended by the nobles of his court,  
 It chanc'd a beast of more than common speed,  
 Sprang from the brake, and thro' the desert fled;  
 The ardent prince impetuous as the wind,  
 Ruin'd on and left his lagging train behind; Fir'd

Last Quart. 8 Day 2 After. First Quart. 21 Day 7 Morn.  
 New Moon. 14 Day, 11 Morn. Full Moon, 28 Day, 9 Morn.

M.W. Kalender, Courts, Weather, &c. v. S. F. Sea & Splr. D s.

14	G. Elect Newp St. Phil & Jam	5	37	128	14	9	47
25	high Winds, U 8 Δ	5	27	216	23	10	38
36	* acc 8h 20m followed by	5	17	36	knee	11	24
47	showers	5	07	336	22	Morn.	
58	Rogation Sunday. 8 8 * What	4	39	8	428	legs	06
62	numbers live to the Δ Apogee	4	58	8	518	16	042
73	age of fifty or sixty, yet if	4	56	8	68	29	17
84	estimated by their	4	55	8	654	feet	138
95	G. Elect Hartf Attention Day	4	54	8	738	23	26
106	* h 8 merit are not	4	53	8	823	head	232
117	worth a chick?	4	52	8	910	15	34
128	Δ h 8 U 8 8	4	51	8	100	23	330
132	Every instance of a Friend's	4	49	8	1031	neck	50
143	insincerity increases	4	48	8	1121	24	156
154	Sup. C. Barnstable, our depen-	4	47	8	1210	arms	830
165	* s fet 7h dance on Moncy,	4	46	8	17	23	924
176	which produces external	4	45	8	20	breast	1018
187	Respect when we are Δ h	4	44	8	250	20	1110
198	Whitsunday. disappointed of	4	43	8	341	heart	1134
202	Δ Perigee	4	42	8	440	18	Morn.
213	S. C. Plim. I. C. Camb and	4	41	8	534	belly	033
224	that which is (Springf.	4	40	8	629	17	110
235	internal and sincere,	4	39	8	726	reins	142
246	Even in these degenerate days	4	38	8	818	14	218
257	Fine springing some are	4	37	8	910	27	248
268	Trin Sunday Weather Δ h 8	4	37	8	105	secrets	312
272	Inf. C Newport. Δ 8 *	4	36	8	1050	25	340
283	Striving to make their	4	35	8	1138	thighs	Mrs
294	Gen. Election Boston callin.	4	34	8	1220	20	830
305	and Election sure.	4	33	8	17	knees	914
316	Cold storm.	4	33	8	150	15	100

# VI. JUNE hath 30 Days 1771.

Fir'd with the chace, and full of youthful blood,  
O'er plains, and vales, and woodland wilds he rode,  
Missing his train, he strove to measure back,  
The road he came but cou'd not find the track.  
And now the gath'ring clouds began to spread  
O'er the deep face of night a deeper shade;  
And the hoarse thunder growling from afar,  
With herald voice proclaim'd th' approach of war; Silence

Last Quart. 5 Day, 9 Morn	First Quart. 19 Day, Noon
New Moon. 12 Day, 8 Aft	Full Moon, 26 Day, 8 Aft.

M. W. Kalender, Courts, Weather, &c. r. @ s. F Sea. D'spl D's.

17	7*'s rise 3h 17m stormy,	4	31	8	2	38	27	10	48
2	1st Sunday past Trinity.	4	31	8	3	27	legs	11	7
3	2 @ h * Hail, D Apogee	4	31	8	4	13	20	11	29
4	3 Inf. C. Pownalborough, Rain	4	30	8	5	6	feet	Morn.	
5	4 K. GEORGE III. born 1738.	4	30	8	5	48	15	0	3
6	5 or Thunder, Gunning	4	29	8	6	29	28	0	25
7	6 then pleasant, People are	4	29	8	7	14	head	0	54
8	7 not always honest—	4	28	8	8	6	22	1	20
9	8 2d past Trinity. h δ δ □ h 8	4	28	8	8	38	neck	1	50
10	2 nor wife, □ δ 8	4	27	8	9	22	19	2	24
11	3 St. Barnabas Inf. C. N. London	4	27	8	10	12	arms	3	8
12	4 (Taunton & Worcester	4	26	8	11	1	17	M sets	
13	5 falling Weather,	4	26	8	11	40	breast	7	50
14	6 8 8 ff. Beauteous Nature	4	26	8	12	30	16	8	38
15	7 7*'s rise 2h 40m blooming health	4	26	8	1	24	heart	9	24
16	8 3d past Trinity, exceeds all	4	26	8	2	18	15	10	12
17	2 I. C. Prov h @ Ve. D Perigee	4	26	8	3	16	belly	11	6
18	3 S. C. Ipswich, Art and pride	4	26	8	4	10	14	11	31
19	4 Δ h 8 of Wealth	4	26	8	5	7	28	Morn.	
20	5 Then Ladies chuse the better	4	26	8	5	57	reins	0	18
21	6 part neglect the Head	4	26	8	6	50	24	0	50
22	7 and mend the Heart,	4	26	8	7	43	secrets	1	17
23	8 4th past Trinity,	4	26	8	8	35	21	1	48
24	2 St. John Baptist,	4	26	8	9	28	thigh	2	28
25	3 S. C. York I. C. Barnst. & Wind	4	26	8	10	16	17	3	12
26	4 expect refreshing	4	26	8	11	3	knees	Mri/d	
27	5 Showers,	4	27	8	11	43	14	7	38
28	6 7*'s rise 1h 40m Heat	4	27	8	12	30	28	7	59
29	7 St. Peter. @ 8 ff.	4	27	8	1	20	legs	8	24
30	8 5th past Trinity, increases	4	27	8	2	10	22	8	48



# VII. JULY hath 31 Days. 1771.

Silence a while ensued——then by degrees  
 A hollow wind came mutt'ring thro' the trees,  
 The active lightning ran along the ground,  
 The fiery bolts by fits were hurl'd around,  
 And the wide forests trembled at the sound.  
 Amazement seiz'd the prince——where cou'd he fly?  
 No guide to lead, no friendly cottage nigh. Groping

Lat Quart. 4 Day, Midnight. | First Quart. 18 Day, 7 After.  
 New Moon, 12 Day, 4 Morn. | Full Moon, 26 Day, 11 Morn.

M.W. Kalender, Courts, Weather, &c. r. ☉ s. F. Sea. v'spl. r. D's.

1 2	Inf. C. Bristol, ● Apogee	4 27 8	2 59	feet	9 16
2 3	S.C. Falmouth, I.C. Plimouth	4 28 8	3 48	18	9 46
3 4	The Miser grows rich	4 28 8	4 30	head	10 12
4 5	by seeming poor, The	4 28 8	5 13	13	10 38
5 6	extravagant Man grows poor	4 29 8	6 0	27	11 17
6 7	h & Vc. hot with thunder	4 29 8	6 40	neck	Morn.
7 8	6th past Trinity, by seeming	4 30 8	7 30	20	0 13
8 2	☉ h ff. 7 <sup>s</sup> rise 1h 3m and	4 30 9	8 20	arms	0 56
9 3	Inf. C. Boston, Salem & York,	4 31 8	9 10	14	1 40
10 4	appearance of rain, rich	4 31 8	9 50	28	2 40
11 5	One should no more trust the	4 32 8	10 48	breast	3 38
12 6	Vc 4 & skill of Apothecaries	4 32 8	11 44	24	M'sets
13 7	than ask the opinion of their	4 33 8	12 38	heart	8 28
14 8	7th past Trinity, ● Perigee	4 34 8	1 30	23	9 10
15 2	Inf C. E. Greenwich, D 8 4	4 35 8	2 20	belly	9 40
16 3	Pestle and Mortar	4 36 8	3 10	22	10 16
17 4	Comm. Cambridge, thunder	4 37 8	3 37	reins	10 48
18 5	and lightning that does much	4 37 8	4 24	21	11 14
19 6	execution—astongues & eyes can	4 38 8	5 26	secrets	11 50
20 7	make it, yet both are useful	4 38 8	6 26	20	Morn.
21 8	8th past Trinity, h & ff.	4 39 8	7 20	thighs	0 30
22 2	4 & 8 in their way	4 40 8	8 10	19	1 15
23 3	refreshing	4 41 8	9 4	knees	2 18
24 4	7 <sup>s</sup> rise midnight,	4 42 8	9 50	14	3 16
25 8	St. James, DOG DAYS begin	4 43 8	10 40	28	4 8
26 9	showers,	4 44 8	11 30	legs	Mrise
27 7	and perhaps thunder,	4 45 8	12 10	24	7 34
28 6	9th past Trinity,	4 46 8	1 0	feet	8 6
29 2	● Apogee	4 47 8	1 50	16	8 26
30 3	♂ ♀ *	4 48 8	2 30	28	8 54
31 4	fultry hot.	4 49 8	3 7	head	9 10



# VIII. AUGUST hath 31 Days. 1771.

Groping about he spy'd a distant light,  
That faintly twinkled thro' the gloom of night,  
And his heart leap'd for joy and bless'd the welcome light;  
With much fatigue and many dangers pass'd,  
At a huge mountain he arriv'd at last;  
There lighting from his horse, on hands and knees  
Grop'd out the darksome road by slow degrees. Joyful

Last Quart. 3 Day, 1 Aftern. First Quart. 17 Day, 3 Morn.  
New Moon, 10 Day, 11 Foren. Full Moon, 25 Day, 4 Morn.

M W. Kalender, Courts, Weather, &c. r. ☉ s F Sea & pl. r. ☉ s.

15	☉ ☿ ☿	growing	What	4	50	8	3	33	14	9	40
26		season,	some people	4	51	8	4	18	27	10	20
37		term	Freedom.	4	52	8	5	0	neck	11	0
4 F	10th	past Trinity,	is nothing	4	53	8	5	40	22	11	31
5 2	☿ ☿ ☿	else than a liberty		4	54	8	6	30	arms	Morn.	
6 3	☿ ☿ ☿	7's rise 11h of		4	55	8	7	20	20	0	14
7 4	☿ ☿ ☿	fazing and doing		4	56	8	8	18	breast	1	15
8 5		disagreeable things, carrying		4	57	8	9	17	19	2	18
9 6	☿ ☿ ☿	the notion a little higher,		4	58	8	10	16	heart	3	28
10 7		high Tides	☉ Perigee	5	0	7	11	15	18	M sets	
11 F	11th	past Trinity,		5	1	7	12	12	belly	7	26
12 2	1 C	So Kingst. P. Wales b 1762		5	2	7	1	8	17	8	16
13 3	S. C.	Portsmouth & Litchfield		5	3	7	2	0	reins	8	44
14 4		it would require us to		5	5	7	2	54	16	9	10
15 5	7's	rise 10h 15m	break and	5	6	7	3	38	secrets	9	48
16 6		pleasant if not	have a	5	7	7	4	22	15	10	24
17 7		too hot,	head broke	5	8	7	5	7	27	11	8
18 1	12th	past Trinity, Vc ☉ ☿		5	9	7	5	40	thighs	11	50
19 2		without offence.		5	10	7	6	36	24	Morn.	
20 3	S. C.	Fairfield,		5	12	7	7	30	knees	0	54
21 4		☿ ☿ ☿		5	13	7	8	28	18	1	50
22 5		☿ ☿ ☿		5	14	7	9	26	legs	2	48
23 6		now expect no snow		5	16	7	10	16	12	3	47
24 7	St. Bartholomew,	Vc ☿ ☿		5	17	7	11	6	25	4	46
25 1	13th	past Trinity, ☉ Apogee		5	19	7	11	50	feet	M rise	
26 2	☿ ☿ ☿	7's rise 9h 44m		5	21	7	12	32	19	7	0
27 3	S. C.	Boston and New Haven,		5	23	7	1	20	head	7	26
28 4		but (I. C. Springfield,		5	24	7	2	8	18	7	5
29 5		a storm.		5	26	7	2	33	neck	8	24
30 6		☿ ☿ ☿		5	27	7	3	10	13	8	52
31 7		about this time.		5	28	7	4	0	24	9	31

# IX. SEPTEMBER hath 30 Days 1771.

Joyful at length he gain'd the steepy height,  
 And found the rift whence sprang the friendly light.  
 While he the wonders of the place survey'd,  
 And thro' the various cells at random stray'd,  
 In a dark corner of the cave he view'd  
 Somewhat that in the shape of woman flood;  
 But more deform'd than dreams can represent  
 The midnight hag, or poet's fancy paint

The

Last Quart. 2 Day, 3 Morn. First Quart. 15 Day, 2 Aft.  
 New Moon, 8 Day, 6 After. Full Moon, 23 Day, 7 Aft.

M. W. Kalender, Courts Weather, &c. r. © s. F. Sea. D'spl. r. D's.

1	F	14th past Trinity, 8 12 2	5	30	7	4	38	arms	10	22
2	2	pleasant healthy Air.	5	31	7	5	30	18	11	12
3	3	S. C. Hartsf. I. C. Worcest Con.	5	33	7	6	20	breast	Morn	
4	4	Dog Day, end (& G. Barrington)	5	34	7	7	16	12	0	14
5	5	Inf. C. Portsmouth, 8 8 8	5	36	7	8	12	25	1	24
6	6	7's rise 9h Men praise against	5	37	7	9	10	heart	2	34
7	7	D Perigee their Wills	5	38	7	10	8	21	3	55
8	F	15th past Trinity, high tides	5	40	7	11	6	belly	M/et.	
9	2	expect a long but slander	5	41	7	12	4	20	6	38
10	3	I. C. Taunton, Δ @ M	5	43	7	12	48	reins	7	21
11	4	Commencement New Haven,	5	44	7	1	40	19	7	58
12	5	Storm, comes voluntary	5	45	7	2	29	secrets	8	31
13	6	Superstition regulates	5	46	7	3	16	18	9	13
14	7	□ M 8 then some of the	5	47	7	4	0	thighs	9	49
15	F	16th past Trinity, illiterate	5	49	7	4	51	17	10	51
16	2	S. C. Provid. 7's rise 8h 30m	5	50	7	5	48	knees	11	55
17	3	S. C. Wors. & Windh. better	5	52	7	6	42	16	Morn	
18	4	8 8 fl. fine than Law, consci-	5	53	7	7	34	28	0	48
19	5	Δ M 8 pleasant once or Ho-	5	55	7	8	20	legs	1	50
20	6	□ M 8 spell of nor then	5	56	7	9	11	22	2	52
21	7	St. Matthew, D Apogee quere?	5	57	7	10	0	feet	3	54
22	F	17th past Trin. K. George III-	5	58	7	10	33	16	4	56
23	2	fair or (crowned 1761	6	0	6	11	16	28	M/et.	
24	3	S. C. Sprin. N. Lond. I. C. Barn	6	1	6	12	0	head	8	8
25	4	(Newburyport, Pown. Litch.	6	3	6	12	30	22	6	39
26	5	Stormy Weather, is not the	6	5	6	1	18	neck	7	15
27	6	h 8 fl. notion of Astrology	6	6	6	2	6	15	7	48
28	7	7's rise 7h 42m more useful	6	7	6	2	36	28	8	24
29	F	St. Michael, 8 8 8 than	6	8	6	3	22	arms	9	13
30	2	the present Schools allow	6	9	6	4	12	24	10	14

# X. OCTOBER hath 31 days. 1771.

The Lapland witch, when she her broom bestrides,  
And scatters storms and tempests as she rides  
The prince with civil words approach'd the dame,  
Told her is piteous case and whence he came,  
And 'till Aurora should the shades expell,  
Implor'd a lodging in her friendly cell ; Mortal,

Last Q. 1 Day, 11 F.	F. Q. 15 Day, 8 M.	Last Quart. 30
N Mo 8 Day, 3 Mo	Full M. 23 D Noon.	Day, 9 Night.

M W. Kalender, Courts, Weather, &c. r. ☉ s. F. Sea, & pla. v. ☉ s.

13	I C Boston, Plym & Nantucket	6 10 6	5 10	breast	11 16
24	fine time for travellers,	6 11 6	6 10	21	Morn.
35	7*s rise 7h 20m.	6 13 6	7 9	heart	0 51
46	♂ * Great quickness	6 14 6	8 10	20	1 54
57	frosty, ☉ Perigee	6 16 6	9 9	belly	2 59
68	19th past Trinity, ☐ ♃	6 17 6	10 7	19	4 6
72	S. C. So. Kingston, of parts	6 19 6	11 4	icins	5 18
83	S. C. Taunton, I. C. Biddeford	6 20 6	12 0	18	M fets
94	☉ ♄ is seldom joined	6 22 6	12 50	secrets	6 30
105	windy. with great solidity	6 23 6	1 42	17	7 18
116	☐ ☉ ♃ and judgment	6 24 6	2 30	thighs	7 54
127	and warm the most	6 26 6	3 20	16	8 46
138	20th past Trinity, rapid river.	6 28 6	4 10	29	9 40
142	I C. Bristol, are seldom or	6 29 6	5 3	knees	10 39
153	I C. Falmouth, 7*s rise 6h 37m	6 30 6	5 51	24	11 38
164	some falling weather, never	6 32 6	6 37	legs	Morn.
175	then clears off deep	6 34 6	7 20	18	0 44
186	St. Luke Evangelist.	6 35 6	8 3	feet	1 43
197	cold, ☉ Apogee	6 37 6	8 44	13	2 42
208	21st past Trinity,	6 39 6	9 28	6	3 41
212	S. C. E. Greenw. ♄ * ♄ ☉ ♄	6 40 6	10 12	head	4 40
223	cold storm A girl of sixteen	6 41 6	10 47	20	5 39
234	following. is more conversable	6 42 6	11 30	neck	M rise
245	than a man of twenty five.	6 43 6	12 18	18	5 50
256	K GEORGE III. began to reign	6 44 6	1 6	arms	6 49
267	windy, (1700	6 45 6	1 46	12	7 48
278	22d past Trinity,	6 47 6	2 39	25	8 47
282	St. Simon & Jude.	6 48 6	3 30	breast	9 46
293	S. C. Cambridge, I. C. Tisbury	6 49 6	4 22	19	10 45
304	Gen. Election So. Kingston,	6 50 6	5 12	heart	11 44
315	☐ ♃	6 51 6	6 8	17	Morn.



# XI. NOVEMBER hath 30 days 1771.

Mortal, whoe'er thou art, the Fiend began,  
 And as the spoke, a deadly horror ran  
 Thro' all his frame; his cheeks the blood forsook,  
 Chatter'd his teeth, his knees together struck;  
 Whoe'er thou art that with presumption rude,  
 Dar'st on my sacred privacy intrude,  
 Pardon'd know, thro' yon wide extended plains,  
 Great Eolus the king of tempests reigns; And

New Moon 6 Day, 2 After	Full Moon, 22 Day, 4 Morn.
First Qua. 14 Day, 3 Morn.	Last Quart. 29 Day, 5 Morn.

M.W. Kalender, Courts, Weather, &c. r. @ s. F. Sea, @ s. pl. r. @ s.

1 6	All Saints. <i>If any one's curse</i>	6 53	6 6	37	belly	0	56
2 7	All Souls. @ Perigee.	6 54	6 7	36	16	1	59
3 F	23d past Trinity 7 <sup>th</sup> so. 11h.	6 55	6 8	35	reins	3	7
4 2	<i>can effect damnation,</i>	6 56	6 9	30	14	4	14
5 3	S. C. Salem, I. C. Hartford.	6 58	6 10	20	29	5	28
6 4	'tis not that of the Pope,	7 0	5 11	7	secre	M	sets
7 5	h h * . but that of the poor	7 1	5 11	52	26	5	56
8 6	cloudy Short visits are	7 2	5 12	46	thig	6	54
9 7	and cold winds, most agreeable	7 4	5 1	34	24	7	52
10 F	24th past Trinity, 4 h *	7 5	5 2	30	knee.	8	50
11 2	with A mere formal visitor	7 6	5 3	27	21	9	48
12 3	I. C. Northamp. & N. Haven.	7 7	5 4	20	legs	10	44
13 4	h h h among Men of busi-	7 8	5 5	10	17	11	40
14 5	Rain ness is intolerable—	7 9	5 6	3	feet	Morn.	
15 6	following, @ Apogee	7 11	5 6	34	13	0	36
16 7	but when men of genius	7 12	5 7	24	27	1	32
17 F	25th past Trinity, 11 h h	7 13	5 8	12	head	2	28
18 2	7 <sup>th</sup> south midnight, happen	7 14	5 9	0	19	3	25
19 3	Inf. C. Fairfield, to meet,	7 15	5 9	37	neck	4	22
20 4	signs of their souls strike fire,	7 16	5 10	26	15	5	20
21 5	11 h h and furnish out a	7 17	5 11	14	28	6	19
22 6	11 h h refined entertainment	7 18	5 12	0	carma	M	rise
23 7	show of new ideas—	7 19	5 12	34	20	6	10
24 F	26th past Trinity, too thin a	7 20	5 1	21	breast	7	12
25 2	h h h diet for any	7 21	5 2	10	14	8	13
26 3	I. C. Charlestown & Norwich	7 22	5 3	7	28	9	18
27 4	penetrating but themselves—	7 23	5 4	0	hear	10	34
28 5	h h h and they would often	7 24	5 4	40	26	11	43
29 6	winds, h h h be glad @ Per.	7 25	5 5	34	belly	Morn.	
30 7	St. Andrew, of one more solid	7 25	5 6	29	25	0	53

# XII. DECEMBER hath 31 days, 1771.

And in this lofty palace makes abode,  
Well suited to his state and worthy of the God;  
His queen am I, from whom the beauteous race  
Of winds arose, sweet fruit of our embrace:  
Libs, Eurus, Boreas, all the boisterous train,  
Then round the Cave, came rushing in again.

Their

New Moon, 6 Day, 3 Morn.	Full Moon, 21 Day, 6 After
First Quart, 14 Day, 2 Morn	Last Quart, 28 Day, 1 After

M W Kalender Courts, Weather, &c. r. ☉ s f Sea ☉ pl r m.

1	F	Advent Sunday, Old hoary	7	26	5	7	20	reins	2	3
2	2	7*'s south 11h Winter	7	27	5	8	16	23	3	12
3	3	I. C. Barnstable & Worcester,	7	27	5	9	0	secre	4	18
4	4	low begins It is not now	7	28	5	9	48	20	5	19
5	5	I. C. Portsmo. "we have seen	7	29	5	10	30	thg	6	20
6	6	2 & ff to rail his Star	7	29	5	11	12	18	M jets	
7	7	in blasts and storms in the	7	30	5	12	0	knee	6	18
8	F	2d Sunday in Advent, East"	7	31	5	12	42	14	7	17
9	2	of Snow but we have	7	31	5	1	40	27	8	16
10	3	I. C. Plymouth & Windham,	7	32	5	2	34	legs	9	15
11	4	Δ I & or Rain seen the Star	7	32	5	3	30	23	10	14
12	5	or Hail, on his Breast,	7	32	5	4	27	feet	11	13
13	6	4 & Δ. ☉ Apogee	7	32	5	5	8	16	Morn	
14	7	Δ h & and are come	7	33	5	5	44	29	0	11
15	1	3d Sun in Advent, to worship	7	33	5	6	32	head	1	
16	2	I. C. Providence, 7*'s so 10h	7	33	5	7	16	22	2	
17	3	af. C. Taunton, him.	7	33	5	8	0	neck	2	58
18	4	3now. Make few promises,	7	33	5	8	40	17	3	54
19	5	then and punctually	7	34	5	9	27	29	4	52
20	6	piercing perform them.	7	34	5	10	16	arms	5	
21	7	St Thomas then	7	34	5	11	10	25	M riss	
22	F	4th Sunday in Advent, you'll	7	34	5	12	5	breft	6	
23	2	cold, ☉ h Δ soon need	7	34	5	12	51	24	7	
24	3	no bondsmen.	7	34	5	1	48	hart	8	10
25	4	CHRISTMAS, h 2 Vc.	7	34	5	2	33	23	9	12
26	5	St. Stephen,	7	34	5	3	22	belly	10	12
27	6	St. John Evangelist, ☉ Perig.	7	33	5	4	17	22	11	3
28	7	7*'s south 9h	7	33	5	5	0	reins	Morn	
29	F	Sunday past Christmas,	7	33	5	5	53	20	0	3
30	2	reezing weather,	7	33	5	6	21	secre	1	4
31	3	Inferior Court Salem.	7	33	5	7	28	18	2	5



Their boasting talk was of the feats th'had done,  
Of trees uprooted, and of towns o'erthrown,  
The gipping hag in fix'd attention stood;  
And at the close of ev'ry tale cry'd——good;  
And where said she does little Zephyr stray?  
Know ye, my sons, your brother's rout to-day?  
Ne'er was she known to linger thus before,  
Scarce had he spoke, when at the Cavern door,

Came lightly tripping in a form more fair,  
Than the young lovers fond ideas are,  
Of burnish'd silver were his sandals made,  
Silver his busking and with gems o'erlaid;  
His wings than lilies whiter to behold,  
Sprinkled with azure spots, and streak'd with gold;  
Around his temples with becoming air,  
In wanton ringlets curl'd his auburn hair;  
Such his attire, but O! no pen can trace,  
No words can show the beauties of his face.

Thou vagrant, cry'd the dame in angry tone,  
Where could'st thou loiter thus so long alone?  
Little thou carest what anxious thoughts molest,  
What pangs are lab'ring in a mother's breast:  
My dear mamma, the gentle youth reply'd,  
And made a low obeisance cease to chide,  
Nor wound me with your words, for well you know  
Your Zephyr bears a part in all your woe.

Nor had I loiter'd thus had I been free,  
But the fair princess of felicity,  
Intreated me to make some short delay,  
And ask'd by her, who cou'd refuse to stay?  
Close by a mount with fragrant shrubs o'er grown,  
On a cool mossy couch she laid her downe;  
Her air, her posture all conspir'd to please;  
Her head upon her snowy arm at ease,  
Reclin'd a studied carelessness express'd;  
Loose lay her robe, and naked heav'd her breast,  
Eager I flew to that delightful place,  
And pour'd a shower of kisses on her face;  
Now hover'd o'er her neck, her breast, her arms,  
Like bees o'er flowers, and tasted all her charms;  
And then her lips and then her cheeks I tried,  
And fawn'd and wanton'd round on ev'ry side.

O Zephyr! cry'd the fair, thou charming boy,  
Thy presence only can create me joy;



Excuse my weakness, madam, when I swear,  
 Such gentle words join'd with so soft an air,  
 Pronounc'd so sweetly from a mouth so fair,  
 Quite ravish'd all my sense, nor did I know  
 How long I staid; or when or where to go.

Mean while her damsels debonnair and gay,  
 Prattled around, and laugh'd the time away;  
 These in soft notes address'd the ravish'd ear,  
 And warbled out so sweet, 'twas heaven to hear;  
 And those in rings, beneath the green wood shade,  
 Danc'd to the melody their fellows made, &c.

[To be continued next Year]

# A T A B L E.

Exhibiting the Variation of the Compass in *Boston*, and the *Paris* adjacent, from the earliest Accounts of it, to the End of the eighteenth Century, agreeable to the actual Observation, distinguished by Observation by JOHN WINTHROP Esq; Hollisian Professor of the Mathematics at Harvard Colledge in *Cambridge*.

Years	Variation at <i>Boston</i> .	Variation at <i>Falmouth</i> .	Variation at <i>Penobscot</i>
1673	11° 15	12°	12° 8
78	11	11 45	11 53
89	10 30	11 15	11 23
1700	10 observ'd	10 45	10 53
5	9 45	10 31	10 39
10	9 32	10 12	10 25
15	9 18	10 3	10 11
20	9 5	9 50	9 58
1725	8 57	9 36	9 44
30	8 37	9 22	9 30
35	8 23	9 8	9 16
1742	8 observ'd	8 45	8 53
45	7 56	8 41	8 49
1750	7 42	8 27	8 32
57	7 20 observ'd	8 5	8 13
61	7 7	7 52 observ'd	8
1763	7 observ'd	7 43 observ'd	7 53
70	6 45	7 31	7 39
75	6 32	7 17	7 25
1780	6 18	7 3	7 11
85	6 4	6 49	6 57
1790	5 50	6 35	6 43
95	5 35	6 21	6 29
1800	5 22	6 7	6 15

Dutances of the most principal Towns on the Continent  
from BOSTON, with the intermediate Miles.

(1) To Plymouth & Cape Cod.			Stearns, Ward, Ditto		1	48
Taverns. Towns Miles			Jones	Ditto	2	50
Robinson,	Dorchester	6	Serjeant,	Leicester	2	52
Babcock, Vose,	Milton	1	Lynds,	Ditto	2	54
Brackett,	Braintree	3	Whittemore,	Spencer	3	57
Whitmarsh,	Weymouth	7	Wollcott	Brockfield	5	62
Cushing,	Hingham	3	Rice,	Ditto	4	66
Jacobs,	Hanover	4	Stone,	Western	5	71
Hall,	Pembroke	6	Scot,	Palmer	9	80
Loudon,	Duxbury	3	Colton,	Wilbraham	4	84
Brewster, Little, Kingiton		3	Parsons,	Springfield		
Howland, Bart		5		Plains	4	88
let and Foster,	Plymouth	4	Bliss,	Springfield	5	93
Cornish,	Ditto	7	Colton,	L. Meadow	4	97
Ellis,	Ditto	5	Kibby,	Esfield	5	102
Newcomb,	Sandwich	7	Elsworth,	Windsor	9	111
Fessenden,		7	Bissell,	Ditto	2	113
Chipman,	Barnstable	7	Benjamin,	E Hartford	7	120
How, Crocker, Ditto		4	Bull, Butler, Hartford		1	121
Beare,	Yarmouth	4	Kilern Stulman Weathers-			
Thacher,	Harwich	9	(field		3	124
Merrick,	Eastham	7	Shayler,	Middleton	11	135
Higgins,	Ditto	5	Camp,	Durham	6	141
Smith,	Wellfleet	5	Doolittle Cook Wallings-			
Collins,	Truro	5	(ford		8	149
Avery,	Ditto	5	Mansfield,	N. Haven	5	154
Nicolson or	Province-	5	Kibby or Bears N. Haven		8	162
Conant,	Town	8	(111) Middle Road to Hartford and New-Haven			
(11) Upper Road to Hartford and New-Haven			Ames or Gay Dedham		11	11
Saltmarsh,	Watertown	9	Ellis	Ditto	3	14
Brewer,	Waltham	1	Clarke,	Medfield	6	20
Cushing,	Ditto	1	Morse,	Medway	4	24
Smith,	Weston	4	Clarke,	Ditto	2	26
Baldwin,	Ditto	1	Hill,	Holliston	3	29
Muns,	Sudbury	3	Amadon,	Mendon	7	36
How,	Marlboro'	8	Keith,	Ditto	1	37
Williams,	Ditto	4	Wood,	Uxbridge	6	43
Martyn,	Northboro'	5	Hill,	Douglafs	4	47
Cutting	Shrewsbury	5	Killingly,	Parker	3	50
Curtis,	Worcester	3	Jacobs,	Thomson	5	55
own	Ditto	3	Convers,	Ditto	5	60
		47	Grosvenor,	Pomfret	6	66

Sellins,	Ditto	4	70	Merrills,	Ditto	5	133
Homes,	Ashford	4	74	Whittlesey,	Saybrook-		
Uley,	Ditto	2	76		Ferry	2	135
Clarke,	Ditto	3	79	Shipman,	Saybrook	2	137
Hay,	Ditto	3	82	Leigh,	Ditto	5	142
Waterman	Mansfield	4	86	Merrill,	Killingswo	5	147
Kimball,	Coventry	8	94	Ward, Stone	Guilford	10	157
Parkin,	E. Hartford	7	101	Baldwin,	Brandford	11	168
Benjamin,	Ditto	10	11	Kilby, Bears	New Haven	9	177
Buller, Bull	Hartford	1	112	(V) Road to New-York			
Killern,	Weathers-			Kilby, Bears	N. Hav (iLi)	15	1
	(field,	3	113	Laws	Mallet Milford	6	157
Beckley,	Gr. Swamp	7	122	Bryant,	Ditto	4	161
Hinsdale,	Kensington	3	123	Benjamin or			
Robinson,	Meriden	6	131	Olcot	Stratford	4	165
Johnson,	Wallings-			Taylor,	Fairfield	7	172
	ford	7	138	Kechum,	Norwalk,	12	184
Mansfield,	North haven	5	143	Quintard,	Ditto	2	186
Kilby, Bears	New Haven	8	151	Youngs,	Stamford	5	191
(IV) Lower road to New Lon-				Fitch,	Ditto	3	194
don and New-Haven.				Marvell,	Rye	10	204
Ames or Gay	Dedham	11	11	Sutton,	Marrineck	7	211
Dean,	Ditto	2	13	Bailey,	New Rochel	3	214
Rbbins,	Walpole	7	20	Butler,	East Chester	4	218
Harris,	Ditto	2	22	Stout,	New-York	21	239
Mann,	Wrentham	6	28	(VI) Road to Newport & low-			
Maxcey,	Attleboro'	5	33		er-hill.		
Stearns,	Ditto	4	37	Sterns (NIV)	Attleboro'	37	37
Olney,	Providence	9	46	Dagget,	Rehoboth	8	45
Carew,	Ditto	1	47	Hunt,	Ditto	4	49
Rardall,	Patuxet	5	52	Lord or Turner,	Bristol	8	57
Pierce,	Greenwich	10	62	Pierce,	Ferry-house	2	59
Gardner,	N. Kingston	11	63	Turner	Portsmouth	3	62
J. Case, Esq.	Tower-hill	4	77	Nicholls,	Newport	9	71
Hawkins,	S. Kingston	4	81	Ferry and Conanicut-Isa.		4	75
Champlain,	Charleston	10	91	Martin,	Narraganset-		
Bleavin,	Westerly	6	97		(Ferry	3	78
Thomson,	Ditto	2	99	J. Case, Esq.	Tower-Hill	4	82
Ruffel,	Stonington	7	106	(VII) To Rhode-Island by			
Jeffries,	Groton Fer.	11	117		Taunton.		
Delh. Palmes	New London	1	118	O. the Bridge (No. X.)		37	37
Prentiss,	Ditto	4	122	Frinck	Berkeley	4	41
Waterman,	Rope-ferry	1	123	Strange,	Freetown	4	46
Miller,	Lyme	5	128				



Prighman Fall River	10	53	Godfrey, Horton	2	29
Howland's F.	5	61	M Whorter Taunton	8	37
Newport	12	73	Whitmarsh, Dighton	6	43

(VIII.) Road to Norwich & Freebairn, 'Swanzy 4 42

New London.			(XI.) Road to Deerfield.		
Sterns (NIV) Attleboro'	37	37	Brewer, Waltham	10	10
Olney, Providence	9	46	Park, Lincoln	6	16
Blake, Johnson	8	54	Gates, Stow	9	25
Angel, Scituate	4	58	Richardson, Bolton	8	33
Cook, Ditto	6	64	Lock, Lancaster	3	36
Knox, Coventry	4	68	Geary, Ditto	7	43
Smith, Volentown	4	72	Holden, Westminster	6	49
Eaton, Plain field	4	76	Church, Templeton	9	58
Burnham, Newent	8	84	Baker, Ditto	5	63
Leffingwel, <i>Norwich</i>	7	91	Winflow, Petersham	3	66
or Peck, Ditto	7	98	Cooke, New Salem	9	75
Houghton, Ditto	7	105	Montague, Sunderland	9	84
Coit, <i>New London</i>	7	105	Root, Montague	4	88
			Hoit, Deerfield	5	93

(IX.) Road to Norwich and New London by Worcester

Sterns (No. II) Worcester.			(XII.) Another Road to Deerfield.		
Cutler, Oxford	11	59	Brewer, Waltham	10	10
Bellows, Ditto	1	60	Baldwin, Weston	5	15
Carter, Dudley	6	66	Muns, Sudbury	4	19
Green, Woodstock	8	74	Howe, Marlboro'	5	27
Grosvenor, Pomfret	4	78	Williams, Ditto	4	31
Abbot, Mortlake or			Martin, Northboro'	5	36
Brooklin	7	85	Cushing, Shrewsbury	5	40
Cleveland, Canterbury	4	89	Furnals, Ditto	1	42
Backus, Ditto	3	91	Child, Holden	5	47
Burnham, Newent	3	97	Davies, Ditto	4	51
Leffingwell, <i>Nor-</i>			Parker, Rutland	5	56
Peck, Lathrop <i>wich</i>	7	104	Craige, Oakham	6	62
Hough- Half-way-			Stone, Rutland Di-		
ton, (House	7	111	Arist	4	66
Colt, <i>N. London</i>	7	118	Winflow, Petersham	6	72

(X.) Road to Taunton and Swanzy

Kent, Dorchester	4	4	Crocker, Shutesbury	5	86
Badcock, Vose Milton	3	7	Warner, Amherst	5	94
Bent, Ditto	3	10	Hubbard, Sunderland	5	96
Doty, Stoughton	2	12	Billings, Ditto	3	99
May, Ditto	3	15	French, Deerfield	1	100
Howes, Ditto	4	19	Hoit, Deerfield	6	106
Easton	8	25			

(XIII.) Upper Road to P / mouth.

Jones, Medford	5	3	Whipple, Greenwood	4	121
Fowle, Wy-			Chadwick, Tyringham	7	128
man Woburn	5	10	Davis, Ditto	3	131
Wyman Wilmington	3	13	Court house	G	136
Gowen, Ditto	4	17	Lovejoy, Ditto	10	146
Abbot, Andover	6	23	Rays Ditto	3	149
Bragg, Ditto	3	36	Stonehouse	4	153
Chaudler, Bradford,	6	32	Vana's Ditto	2	155
Moors, Haverhill,	1	33	Quakenbush	Kinderhook	8 163
Herriman, Plaflow,	3	36	Fitch, Ditto	12	175
Blighs, Ditto	1	37	Albany-Ferry,	8	183
Lowell, or Kingston-			Half-moon,	11	194
Abbot, plains	8	45	Still-water,	13	207
Folsom, Gil-			Saratogo,	12	219
man, Exeter	6	51	Lake George,	28	247
Chase, Saranham	4	55	Ticonderoga,	46	293
Wiggin, Ditto	3	58	Crown-Point,	15	308
Folsom, Clark	Greenland	3	(XVI.) Another Road to		
Foss, Stood-			Albany.		
ly or Stavers	Portsmouth	5	Wolcott, Brookfield	62	62
(XIV) Road to No. Four	or		Rice, Ditto,	3	65
Charlestown, Montreal	01		Cutler, Ditto,	3	68
Quebec.			Downing, Ware,	6	74
Winslow, Peterham	72	72	Rogers, Ditto,	2	76
Morton, Athol	6	78	How, Belcherton	5	81
Evans, Warwick	9	87	Dwight, Ditto,	3	84
Groat, Winchester	11	98	Graves, Ditto,	4	88
Wyman Keen	14	112	Smith, Amherst,	4	92
Butterfield, Westmore-			Kellog, Hadley,	4	96
land	11	123	Lyman, Northamp-		98
Phelps, Walpole	9	132	Tupper, Chesterfield	14	112
Walker, or Charlestown-			Miller, Sandfield	7	116
Hastings, or No. Four	10	142	Marks, Ditto,	6	125
Crown-point	78	220	Gutridge, Pittsfield	9	134
St. John's	120	340	Hubbard, Ditto	4	138
Montreal,	21	361	Albany-Ferry	25	163
Quebec,	170	531			
(XV) To Albany and Crowl			(XVII) Road to No Four or		
Bliss. (No. 11.) Spring-			Charlestown, over Charle-		
field	93	93	town Ferry.		
Over the River to Ely's	2	95	Winship, Cambridge	7	7
Clap Westerfield	7	102	Buckman, Lexington	3	10
Sh. pherd, Ditto	3	105	Haywood, Concord	0	10
Perle, Blandford	6	114	White,		
Rowley, Ditto	6	117	Gilbert,		

Pierce,	Groton	8	37	Patterson,	Arundell	2	98
Saxwell,	Shirley	4	41	Ladd or	Saco	6	104
Hutchins,	Lunenburg	5	46	Allen,	Scarboro'	7	111
Cowdin,	Fitchburg	4	50	Milliken,	Ditto	4	115
Foster,	Albournham	8	58	Marsh,	Falmouth	3	118
Stimson,	Winchendon	4	62	Skitten,	Ditto	3	121
Darling,	Ditto,	6	68	Toms,	New Casco	7	28
Deed,	Moandinock	8	76	Bucknam,	N Yarmou	6	134
Tiffany,	Swanzy	4	80	Loring,	Ditto	6	140
Hammond,	Ditto	5	85	Mitchell,	Ditto	2	12
Wyman,	Keene	6	91	Coffin,	Brunswick	10	152
Bellows,	Walpole	14	105	Ross,	Ditto	4	156
Phelps,	Ditto	3	108	Thomson,	Geor. Town	8	164
Hallinswalk	Charlston	11	119	Springer,	Woolwich	1	165

(XVIII) Road to the Eastward over Charlestown-Ferry

Jones,	Medford	5	5
Kettle,	Malden,	2	7
Martin,	Lynn	4	11
Symonds,	Danvers	6	17
Goodhue	Adams Salem	2	19
Waters,	Beverly	1	20
Porter,	Wenham	6	26
Smith	Tredwell Ipswich	6	32
Hunt,	Rowley	3	35

Pierce,	Newbury-Old-Town	7	42
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Davenport	Newbury-Choate, Port	1	45
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Knowlton,	Salisbury	5	48
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Davidson or	Hampton-Sanbern Falls	3	51
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Lovett,	Hampton	2	53
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Lovett,	North Hill	3	56
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Folsam,	Greenland	4	60
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Stavers Foss,	Portsmouth	5	65
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or Stoodly,	Portsmouth	5	65
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Woodbridge	Old York	9	74
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Clark,	Ditto	4	78
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Ring,	Wells	6	84
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Littlefield,	Ditto	3	87
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Jeffers,	Ditto	4	91
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Kimball,	Kennebunk	5	96
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Harden-Ferry,

Read,	Ditto	4	169
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Lovejoy,	Pownalboro	6	175
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Goodwin,	Courthouse	2	177
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Smith,	Cobesconte	8	185
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Fort Western,		6	191
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Fort Halifax,		18	209
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Norridgewalk,		27	236
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Great Carrying Place		30	266
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Quebec		2	268
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(XIX.) A shorter Road from Coffin's at North Yarmouth, to Lovejoy's at Pownalboro'

North-Yarmouth		142	142
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Coffin,	Burnswick Falls	10	152
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Stone,	Ferry	1	153
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Willson,	Topsham	6	159
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Read,	By Water to Lovejoy's	10	169
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XX) Road to the Mineral Spring.

Wolcot (N. II)	Brookfi.	62	62
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Old,	Ditto	3	6
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Warrener,	Brimfield	7	7
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Fisk,	Ditto	4	70
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Colburn,	Stafford	4	80
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Iheles,	Ditto	4	8
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Orcutt,	Min Spring	2	86
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XI.) The Road from No 4; to Crown Point. (No

XVII. to Charleston, 119 ) ———

From No. Four to Nott's		Rutland	Modes	6	154
Ferry at Springfield	3	Pittsford	Waters	6	170
Springfield, Stevens	5	Shoreham	Moor	20	190
Weathersfield Spafford	2	Breadport	Towners	1	198
Cavendish Pain	6	Over the Lake	Lewis	2	200
Ditto Coffin	5	to Crown Point			
Otter Creek, Button	20				
(or Durham	158				

(XXII) Road to Albany and Quebec, by New-York.

N. York N. V.	239	Rynbeck (Tatter	6	Lake George	14
King's Bridge	15	Schermerhorns	10	Ticonderoga	74
Concklin's	12	King's Bridge	6	Crown Point Ft	15
Groton's River	12	Claverack	12	End Lake Cha.	12
Peekskill	12	Kenderhook	14	Le Prair	16
Rogers's	9	Half way house	10	Montreal	0
Fishkills	11	Albany	10	Trois Rivièrs	90
Poughkeepsie	14	Saraghtoga	36	Quebec	80
Staatborough	11	Fort Edward	14		

*A sure and certain Cure for the Bite of a RATTLE SNAKE, made Public by ABEL FULLER of Stoughton.*

**A**S soon as may be after the Person is bit, cut a Gash or Split in the place where the Bite is, as deep as the Teeth went in, take and fill it full of fine Salt; take common Plaintain\* and pound it, add a little Water to it, then squeeze out the Juice, and mix it with clear Water, then make a strong Brine with fine Salt and the Juice 'till it will not dissolve the Salt, then make a Swathe or Bandage with Linnen Cloth, and bind it round just above the swelling, (but not too tite) then wet the Bandage with the before-mentioned Brine, and keep it constantly wet with the Brine, for it will dry very fast, and keep stroking the part with your Hands as hard as the Patient can bear, towards the cut you made, and you will soon see the Poison and virulent matter flow out of the Cut, and it will often flow so fast that it will swell below the Cut, and if it should, you must cut below the swelling, to let out the virulent Matter, and it will not leave running 'till all is discharged; you must keep the Bandage moving downwards as the Swelling abates. It is proper to give the Patient something to defend the Stomack as sweet Oil, Safron or Snake-Root: It very often bleeds after the Poison is out; but be not surprized at that, for it is good for it;

it will run some after the Poison is out; there must be care taken that none of the Poison that runs out gets to any Sore or raw Flesh, for it will Poison the Person.

I expect that some will slight this publication, for the remedies being so simple a thing, but I hope no one will so slight it if he is bit, as to neglect trying the Experiment, and the Effect will prove what I have said to be true: I should not have published this had I not been certain of its performing the cure by my own Experience; for I have cured two Persons dangerously bit, and a Horse and Dog, with no other thing but what is mention'd in the before Direction, and make this Public for the benefit of Mankind; tho' I have been offer'd a considerable Sum by some Persons to make it known to them, but then it must be kept as a Secret.

*Stoughton, Oct 4. 1770.*

\* If Plantain cannot be got, strong Brine will do the thing

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*A Recipe to cure the HOORING COUGH, which has been  
Tried with Success.*

**T**AKE dried Colt's Foot, a good Handful, cut them small and boil them in a pint of Spring-Water till half the Water is boiled away, then take it off the fire; when almost cold, strain it through a Cloth, squeezing the Herbs as dry as you can; throw the Herbs away, and dissolve in the Liquor Half an Ounce of brown Sugar Candy, finely powder'd; when dissolv'd add to them one spoonful and an half of the Tincture of Liquorice—of which give a Child of five Years old one Spoonful three or four Times a Day. Grown Persons may take four Spoonfuls at a Time, and as often it will cure in two or three Days.

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